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**WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE**  
Death strikes GARRETT POLSON while bathing at Ocean Town, N.J. It is thought at first he is a stroke victim, but investigation shows he has been stabbed to death beneath the water.

Polson's swimming companion had been ROGER NEVILLE, a business partner; MELBA DARNLEY and CAROLINE VALDEN. It is established that Polson, just before his death, had been standing next to NEIL BARTON, known as the copper king.

ANASTASIA POLSON, even-tempered and masterful sister of the dead man, arrives and takes command. At the instant it is learned that the death weapon was a picket, an Oriental knife, and that it had been bought on the beach.

It is also established that one CROTON SCARLE is a fanatical of curious type. Anastasia engages TITUS HIGGS, an architect, to work on the case. DAX PELTON, the dead man's nephew, arrives, and notices the French dolls in Garrett Polson's room.

Between the time he had been blackmailed several people and he and Higgs were suspicious of each other. In Polson's effects with the French dolls in Garrett Polson's room.

Higgs and Pelton met NEIL BARTON, wife of Neil Barton, and Higgs is puzzled at her nervousness.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
CHATTER. As a matter of fact, Madeline Burton took not the slightest interest in Pelton; she had merely responded to his pleasant courtesy, and felt a momentary relief in the way he asked up the responsibility of the situation.

Intuitive himself, Dan saw her gaiety was superficial, and wondered what lay beneath that smiling face.

For he had fear in the haunted eyes, apprehension in the quivering lips, and realized that whatever she was, Madeline Barton was a strong, self-controlled woman, who was in deep mental distress.

"I wonder if you'd like to meet my aunt," Pelton said. They had been talking of eccentricities in general. "She is the most eccentric person I know, and the strangest combination of gentleness and ferocity."

"That sounds delightful," Madeline smiled. "Neither like the lion and the lamb in one identity."

"That's just what she is. Here she comes now."

"Why, that's Miss Polson!" said Madeline, astounded.

"Yes, she's my aunt. Hello, Aunt Maud. May I place this to Mrs. Barton, Miss Polson?"

"Oh, we're not strange strangers," said Madeline. "I let you two meet her."

And they all laughed, for even as she spoke, Mrs. Riggs had risen and she and Pelton were just about to leave.

"They had the grace to render a little, but Madeline Barton only laughed."

And then he said: "We don't want to see her. She's quite all right, Miss Polson. A man wants to talk to a woman about so long, then he wants his own kind of fun."

The smiled again and Anastasia Polson nodded her head.

Madeline Dan Pelton was asking excitedly.

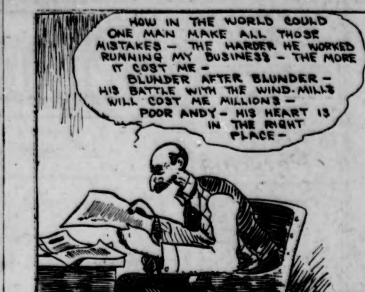
"Good heavens, Riggs, who is this woman and how did you happen to run me up against her?"

"You run yourself," she said. "I don't do it."

"Well, who is she?"

"Mrs. Edward Barton. If you

THE GUMPS



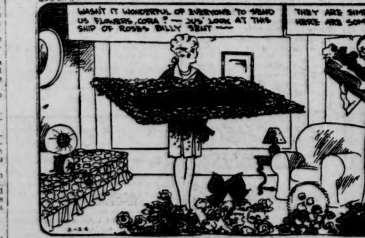
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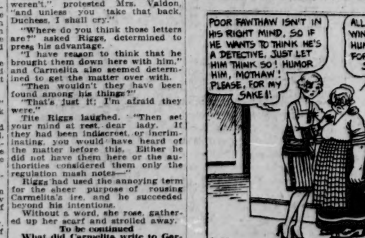
THE NEBBES



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



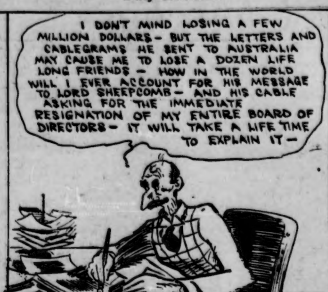
WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER



LITTLE JOE



Duty Calls Him



Saved



He Knows His Vegetables



Floral Offerings



The Cook and the Cuckoo



Little Orphan Annie



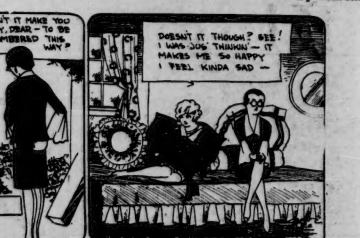
Vengeance from Above



SANDY!



WE CAN TAKE IT FLOWER



By Harold Gray



By Martin



By Banner











# Theatre and Movie Gossip

## "Jiggs and Maggie" Will Be Here on Monday

The season's annual event, which describes the forthcoming attraction at the Empire Theatre, for a week's continuous opening Monday, February 27th, and giving the usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

The latest version of the "Bringing Up Father" cartoons made famous by George McManes, and transferred to the stage under the title of "Jiggs, Maggie and Dinty," is much after the three beloved characters, whose reign in the world of humor and sentiment, and whose popularity seems to be as unimpaired as the Rock of Gibraltar. Not so long ago a well-known critic compared these comic effusions with the classic of another. In his opinion they contributed to the universe as much as the efforts of certain great geniuses, whose works have provided food for thought for posterity. The popularity of Jiggs, Maggie and Dinty can well be understood. They have a general appeal. Their prototypes are to be found among the masses and the masses are those that constitute the majority in this particular contribution to the McManes house and heretofore, "Maggie" is known, history is not loose without restraint or penalty. To the witty accompaniment of side-splitting situations, puns, roasts, invectives, trifles, caustic humor and other features that would entail too much space to list upon here, "Father" and his cohorts "a rare" to be denoting that they are out to tickle the sensibilities of their millions of admirers and followers, furnish a diet of joy and keep awake with past achievement. So what more can be said? Let us forget this

## "Abie's Irish Rose" is Booked for the Empire

With its bright and witty lines, its appealing human story, its character, 1799, we just in every day life. Anne Nichols, universally successful comedy "Abie's Irish Rose" has been booked by the management of the New Empire Theatre for an engagement of one week beginning March 1st, with matinee Wednesdays, and unless all signs fail, will prove the biggest event in the history of the theatre, as it has done in every city no matter whether large or small, where it has been presented.

The organization to be seen here is known as the Nichols' Chicago and Detroit company, which has just closed an engagement of 23 weeks at the Garrick Theatre, Detroit, making the skeptic, who thinks there are many at the beginning, sit up and take notice, as the skeptic have done in every city visited by this wonder comedy of the age, and which for the next five years has added a new volume to theatrical history.

**JIMMY DELANEY WRECKED**  
MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 25.—Jimmy Delaney, 28, St. Paul light-heavyweight, is in a serious condition at a hospital here following an operation for an infection in his left arm broken in a fight with Benny Tom at Buffalo last Monday night.

**MORE THEATRES WILL BE FOUND ON PAGE EIGHT**

## 125 Local Artists in The Big Rotary Revue

One hundred and twenty-five people, all local talent, will be on the stage when the "Big Rotary Revue" "The Kid Brother" opens at the New Empire Theatre, Monday, February 27th. The revue is a collection of 125 short sketches, each of which is a masterpiece of comedy. The sketches are written by local authors and are performed by local actors. The revue is a collection of 125 short sketches, each of which is a masterpiece of comedy. The sketches are written by local authors and are performed by local actors. The revue is a collection of 125 short sketches, each of which is a masterpiece of comedy. The sketches are written by local authors and are performed by local actors.

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## "New York" Opens at The Capitol Monday

A fascinating romance of Manhattan's night clubs and night scene, gayeties and shadows, street scenes, and the life of the "New York" is a description of the famous "New York" production. "New York" is a collection of 125 short sketches, each of which is a masterpiece of comedy. The sketches are written by local authors and are performed by local actors. The revue is a collection of 125 short sketches, each of which is a masterpiece of comedy. The sketches are written by local authors and are performed by local actors.

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## Dorothy Gish Plays Modern Cinderella

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Perhaps the easiest way to realize this stupendous figure is to compare it with the total value of the entire material wealth of Canada and the United States.

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North America can well be proud of the additional insurance placed on the valuable lives of her people in 1926. More than 16 billion dollars (\$16,000,000,000) was written and revived during the year by about 300 life insurance companies — making the total amount of life insurance in force approximately 80 billion dollars (\$80,000,000,000).

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Assets	\$3,106,004,385.30
Liabilities:	
Statutory Reserve	\$1,862,873,176.00
Dividends to Policyholders payable 1927	\$52,346,369.35
All other liabilities	\$70,646,717.81
Unassigned Funds	\$122,236,122.14
	\$2,108,004,385.30
Increase in Assets during 1926	\$253,346,902.88
Income in 1926	\$395,596,505.88
Gains in Income, 1926	\$64,386,062.59
Paid-for Life Insurance issued, increased and received in 1926	\$3,011,775,150.00
Gain in Insurance in Force in 1926	\$1,401,734,835.00
Total Bonuses and Dividends to Policyholders from 1892 to and including 1927	\$304,594,554.96
Life Insurance Outstanding	
Ordinary Insurance	\$6,566,596,872.00
Industrial (premiums payable weekly)	\$5,487,800,648.00
Group Insurance	\$1,444,584,107.00
Total Insurance Outstanding	\$13,498,981,627.00
Number of Policies in Force December 31, 1926	37,239,579

## In Canada:

Business written in 1926	\$167,862,023
Ordinary	\$72,868,231
Industrial	\$80,163,035
Group	\$14,870,757
Business in force at end of 1926	\$704,911,355
Ordinary	\$356,914,621
Industrial	\$310,464,350
Group	\$37,532,384
Investments in Canada	\$137,776,136
Dominion Government Bonds	\$46,297,078
Provincial & Municipal Bonds	\$40,956,969
All other Investments	\$48,516,089
Policies in force in Canada	2,349,904
Payments to Canadian Policyholders in 1926	\$10,079,007
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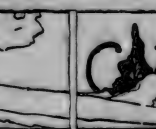
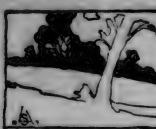
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Think of the number of times you have to stop your car. In a majority of cases if you wouldn't stop it would damage a lot of property, and perhaps kill somebody. Broken are older and last longer with John-Masville Asbestos Brake Lining, but in addition to having the best brake lining, your brakes should be at all times be properly adjusted.

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**Chicago Cardinals Are Defeated by Winnipeg**

WINNIPEG, Feb. 25.—Winnipeg Maroons defeated Chicago Cardinals of the Canadian Football League in a game of 2 to 0. The Maroons won the first game in the series.

### BRAKES ON CAR MAY MEAN LIFE OF OPERATORS

Just one thing makes it safe to drive your car. You are riding on a car, two tons of steel, 20, 25 or even 30 tons on four wheels, and you are sitting on a car, completely dependent on the safety upon the condition of your brakes.

The difference between good brakes and bad brakes is a matter of seconds, and that is the difference between life and death.

It is so important to keep the brakes in perfect condition that it is not to be taken for granted that they will remain in perfect condition. The brakes on a car are the most important part of the car, and they are the most neglected part of the car.

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### They Don't Mind This Portage



The ladies seem to have all the best of it in Preston—they ride uphill or down. This is a "climbing party" of Preston people at the Preston winter carnival. The men seem to be enjoying the job of pushing around their bobsleds.

### Winter Country

Winter no longer holds its threat over the tourist. The roads, no matter how rough, are clear in short order, nowadays. And the tourist's trouble, the great number of motorists driving over the more frequent bobsleds, appears to be a clear road through the snow.

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### DODGE BROS. PRODUCTION

1926 Was Biggest Year in History of The Company

Dodge Brothers, Inc., last year sold to dealers 231,744 passenger cars and trucks, making 1926 the biggest year in its history. The gain over 1925, which was the company's best previous year, is 27.4 per cent. The 1926 record is remarkable as it surpasses the huge output of 219,767 cars and trucks in 1925 by 11,977 units and was made without the rate increase which many other plants gain from the frequent introduction of new models.

Under Brothers, Inc., rate of growth last year was nearly nine times as fast as that of the automobile industry as a whole, which made a production gain of only 2.3 per cent over 1925. Figures compiled by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce for 1926 place production of all automobile manufacturers at 4,439,000 cars and trucks.

Brothers, Inc., the truck division of Dodge Brothers, Inc., also made a striking showing with a gain over 1925 of 34.7 per cent in sales to dealers. The rate of gain was approximately eight times as fast as that of the entire truck industry last year. National Automobile Chamber of Commerce figures show that the output for the whole truck industry was 7 per cent larger in 1926 than in 1925. Total sales of Brothers, Inc., cars and trucks, however, and there isn't a doubt of it, is a pretty good record for a company of its size.

Combined sales of Dodge Brothers, Inc., and Graham Brothers, Inc., last year totaled 47,731 units, an increase of 27.7 per cent over sales of 37,318 in 1925.

Thomas Fisher, production and engineering manager of Dodge Brothers, Inc., said that the company's record was a record of the company's ability to handle an automobile in many difficult situations.

The motorist is placed in a chair resembling the driving seat of an automobile and having all the car's operation apparatus of a car, the screen in front of the driver picture shows various traffic scenes.

The driver manipulates the controls to avoid the dangers of the traffic scenes presented. Every mistake is automatically registered.

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### Machine That Records Ability of Motorists

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### THE Skill to apply the Knowledge gained





## OAKLAND HAS NEW FEATURE FOR COMFORT

### Rubber Silenced Chassis Is Added—Exclusive Feature for 1927

In the early days of the motor car, the cars went in a great or less extent—and severely needed a horn to make pedestrians aware of their presence. With their motion went noise—and jolt and vibration. But as cars improved, public taste likewise improved, became more exacting in fact, until at the present time the comfort of the highest priced cars is demanded in automobiles of the most moderate price.

Yet down through the quarter century of motor car development came the jolt—the rumble and the jolt—because the vibration of the engine and the vibration of the chassis were rather elusive and almost impossible to eliminate.

Now, however, the problem has been solved. In fact, in another vibration and to ground out noise have been eliminated the most stubborn problems in chassis engineering since the beginning of the automobile industry.

Leading automotive engineers contend.

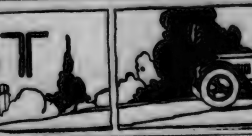
Yet it was just this problem that Oakland engineers solved on the Greater Oakland Six in the development known as the rubber-silenced chassis.

The results achieved in the Greater Oakland Six chassis were brought about by isolating the three motor vibrations which affect motor car comfort. In fact, the life of the chassis has been thereby prolonged.

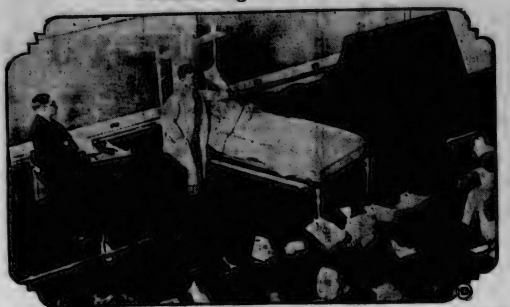
The results were achieved by applying a series of engineering features, each separate and distinct yet with the common purpose of isolating the body assembly from vibration.

Slightly more than a year ago Oakland pioneered the first step with the introduction of the Harmonic Balance, built into the Oakland crank shaft.

This feature prevented the tendency of the crank shaft to vibrate under the multiple impulses of the cylinders and practically eliminated torsional vibration. But there remained two other major sources of vibration common to all motor cars, one of which comes through the propeller shaft from the rear axle and



## Thundering Heart Beats



"Bepped up" through a stethoscope and a powerful electric amplifier, the heart throbs of a patient at the University of Maryland's medical school at Phipps hospital sounded sometimes like thunder, sometimes like the pound of horses' hoofs, sometimes like the snore of a child's cry. This picture the demonstration and the physicians and Junior medical students for whose enlightenment it was arranged.

The first of these, the problem of road rumble and transmission hum, carried up through the drive shaft was eliminated by a new and exclusive development.

A rubber impregnated joint, attaching the front universal joint of the drive shaft to the rear of the transmission, isolates the transmission. Notes, which without it, are clear enough up through the drive shaft, are now entirely absent.

The forward end of the shaft is cushioned to produce an absolute noiseless drive.

Along with this was developed, as a third step, the insulation of the engine from the frame by rubber cushions, thereby silencing the vibration from the torque reaction of the engine.

To these combinations of engine features was added an extra cross member to the frame, just back of the power plant, which gives superior support for both the engine and body—completing an assembly known as the rubber-silenced chassis in which vibration has been reduced to the point where it is practically imperceptible.

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## FACTORY TAXED BY EARLY RUSH FOR NEW CARS

With both Hudson and Essex cars enjoying an unprecedented public demand, the company is already operating at a pace usually reached only in the spring months. More than 1,000 men have been added in the past two weeks, and the capacity of the plant is being gradually stepped up, with many departments now on a two or three shift a day basis, a company official declares.

Meantime, it is added, the cars have been purchased so actively both locally and all over the world that even with the enlarged manufacturing schedule it has proved impossible to keep up with demands.

The company declares, however, that every step will be taken to insure prompt delivery to all purchasers.

**Urgo for Extra Cars**

"Like every other distributor and dealer," said the Pressman Co., Hudson-Excess distributor, "we have recently requested additional cars to meet our immediate needs. With us it is always a matter of regret when we cannot immediately deliver to any buyer the type of car he wishes."

In the introduction of the new Hudson Super-Six and the Essex Super-Six, the Hudson manufacturing organization achieved an accomplishment which is believed to be unique in automobile history.

Weeks ago the date for the Essex cars was set at January 1, and of the Hudsons at February 1. In both new cars these were vitally important changes both in body and chassis.

But though the task was complicated and difficult, the scheduled Essex production of 400 cars a day began precisely as planned on January 1. During January this new vehicle was produced at a rate of one car a day, and the production plans were well ahead of the schedule.

The plant through the dispatching of a crack force.

"All every automobile show, from coast to coast, the new Hudson Super-Six and Essex Super-Six cars have attracted tremendous interest. Sales as well have been far beyond anything previously known in all of Hudson-Excess history."

**UNITED STATES ROAD**

There are about 3,000,000 miles of roads in the United States, according to recent estimates.

## Just Like Home

It is a pleasure to enter a home that is well kept, well arranged and abounding in atmosphere of comfort and cheer. It is as much a pleasure to enter the automobile of a friend and find it just as cleanly kept and comfortable as the home you visit. Not only is such a car good to look at from the outside, but it is pleasant to ride in it. The motor and the upholstery are trusted clean, the dust is cleaned off the frame parts. No spare tools, or other paraphernalia are lying around.

Now many automobiles are there in this class? Too many are just means of travel, neglected in appearance, inhospitable and cold.

Yet there is no reason why an automobile, especially of the closed type, should not be kept as clean and attractive as any home. It is home itself taken into the country with us, when we go out for a ride. It keeps us comfortable and in good humor on the road. It can do so, at least, when it is kept as clean and attractive as the home you visit.

That's the physical reaction of a clean car. Mentally, a well kept automobile is a mark of the character and spirit of its owner.

**CARS TAKE MORE LIVES**

Deaths in Los Angeles county, California, caused by motor accidents in 1926, showed an increase of nearly 10 per cent over the 1925 period. The death rate increased, however, slightly less than the increase in the number of registered motor vehicles.

**TEACH TRAFFIC SAFETY**

The American Road Builders Association is backing a traffic safety campaign which it hopes will be taken up by every school, church and civic organization in the country.

The Yellowstone Park bill, never having had a printer in its 22 years of existence, was torn down recently.

**WASTE PRODUCT RUNNING AUTOS**

Millions of dollars worth of gasoline was shot into the air and lost before the process of liquefying natural gas into gasoline was discovered. Now more than 1,000,000 gallons of this product are literally grabbed from the air every day to turn the wheels of motor cars on a thousand highways in the United States.

Process of converting natural gas into gasoline began to attract attention about 1911, when the output was 7,432,119 gallons. Today there are in the United States 603 plants with a combined capacity of more than a billion gallons a year. An instance of the development of the industry is shown by the Sinclair company which in 1914 had no facilities for producing this gasoline and in 1926 had an output of 31,164,135 gallons. Production of gasoline from natural gas represents 10 per cent of all the motor fuel manufactured in the United States annually.

## Before you buy you owe it to yourself to see - - - The OLDSMOBILE SIX

The Oldsmobile Six—stylish in appearance outside and in—abundantly powered and beautifully balanced. The Oldsmobile Six Sedan is winning the admiration of owners everywhere in Canada. Its prominent features include air cleaner, oil filter and crankcase ventilation, controllable beam headlights, four-wheel brakes. Drive it yourself—you'll be surprised at its exceptional handling ease.

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## WONDER ROAD CAPE-CAIRO

CARLO, Egypt, Feb. 24.—The Great North Road which leads from here to Cape Town, nearly 5,000 miles distant, is now officially declared an accomplished fact.

The last stretch between Bulawayo and Nairobi, a distance of 2,500 miles, has been opened.

The first through the 2,500-mile stretch. They made the distance of a "comfortable" date in 10 days.

They had no difficulties with the car or the road.

As yet, there are no reports of any traveler covering the entire distance from Cape Town to Cairo, but sections are in daily use.

Motorists are advised to carry spares and shovels and a large stock of pencils as equipment.

The guide is for protection against wild animals and the perils of natives.

Whenever any assistance is required along the road, it is necessary for the motorist to engage almost the entire population of a native village.

**The HUT CRACKER**

by Joe Williams

The biggest tank in America is in one of the New York hotels.

"I don't know what his name is, but I know what his name is."

Mr. Cash and Capacity Pole says he is getting with professional tennis. Probably the only one who will regret this is William Tilden this year.

We see by the papers that one of those House of Davis boys has taken up boxing.

It is hard to hit him on the whiskers.

In these days of marauding movements it is comforting to know that nobody has tried to put aviation on a higher plane.

To our ears the squeak of the tin-horn gambler is the loudest music in the land.

Peaches Browning is said to be enjoying her visit to Bermuda, but don't believe she is in it more than half as much as the American public.

One of the greatest mysteries of life is how the citizens of Herin, Ill., are ever able to tell when the fourth of July comes.

The bone of contention in most baseball controversies is usually located between the bats.

The best way to escape that run-down feeling is to wait until the lights are with you and then cross the street.

In many cases the handwriting on the wall is nothing more or less than undepreciable scribbling by the youngest member of the family.

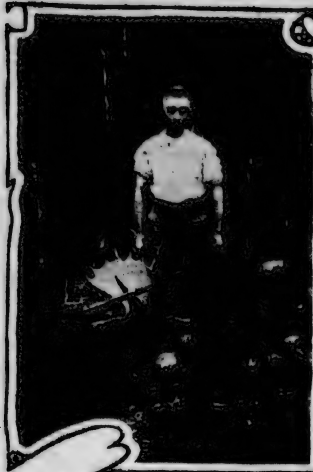








# Millionaire Woman Banker; Mussolini as Fiddler; Storm-Cellar



**HUNTING MOOSE** (left). J. T. Turner and the moose which he shot with a .30.30 carbine Winchester within 30 minutes after leaving camp in the Sudbury district. It weighed 1,200 lbs. and had a 53-inch spread of antlers, whose many regular points are unusual. On the right Mr. Turner is seen in the canoe returning with his trophies.



**THE SEMINOLE INDIANS** dwell in the depths of the Everglades, Florida, a tribe which is diminishing, their birth rate being lower than their death rate. The tribe has never been conquered and has never assimilated white customs.



**PRINCESS ALEXANDRA VICTORIA**, former wife of August Wilhelm, fourth son of the former kaiser.



**MUSSOLINI**, unlike Old King Cole, does not need to call for his fiddlers three. Like Nero he does his own fiddling, and the photograph shows him at his villa at Forlì, playing his beloved violin.



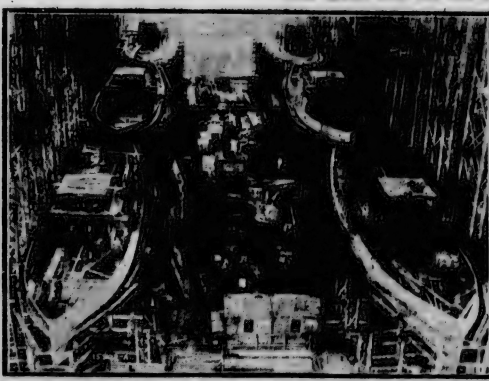
**A TORNADO** has again swept through the Ozark Mountains. At least 84 persons were killed. Heber Springs, Arkansas, bore the brunt of the storm. More lives would have been lost but for the wisdom of those who built storm cellars after the terrific cyclone a year ago. This one was built above ground as solid rock lies under the thin surface soil. It stood intact while fifteen residence blocks were razed to the ground.



**MME. ETTTRICH GAILLARD**, whose name has recently been associated with Aeronautes in France and Austria. She is a noted feminist and has turned her attention to banking, having opened a head office in Paris with branches in Berlin, Vienna and Budapest for women only.



**MRS. CORA WILSON STEWART** of Frankfort, Kentucky, who founded the moonshine schools to rid the mountain regions of her state of illiteracy. She is shown explaining her simplified groove system of teaching the writing of English to Owen Heavy Breast.



**SIX COASTGUARD PATROL BOATS**, the first of 33 being built for the United States government by the Brown-Boveri Electric Corporation at a cost of \$2,000,000. They were lying in the covered yard at Camden, N.J., before the launching on November 30.



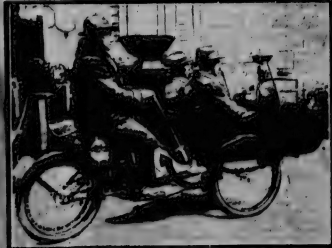
**ONE OF THE INTERESTED SPECTATORS**, dressed in a Union Jack and hat waiting to see the Prince of Wales go by.



**HAAKON JORGENSEN**, police chief of Copenhagen, who has won world-wide fame with his new system of making fingerprints of criminals.



**HENRY MANUSH**, of the Detroit Tigers, led the American League batters in 1926 with an average of .377. Close on his heels came Babe Ruth with .372. Three were tied for third place with .367.



**NEW MOTORCYCLE PASSENGER CAR**, made in Germany, with a removable chassis, which can be converted into a small delivery car in two minutes.



**COMMANDANT RICCIOTTI GARIBOLDI**, a grandson of the great Italian liberator, who is now under arrest in the Santo prison, Paris, for alleged plotting against Mussolini and participation in the Spanish revolt.



**GUN DRAWN BY TANK**: Instead of three drivers, six horses and a mounted N.C.O., there is one machine and one crew. The comparison between a holed gun and a gun drawn by machine was made for the dominion premiers who were given a demonstration at Camberley of tanks in action, along with members of the army council and a large number of distinguished soldiers.









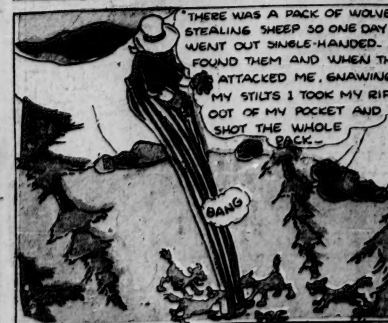
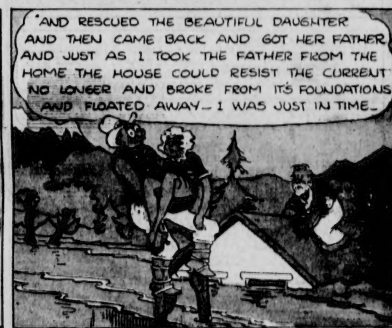
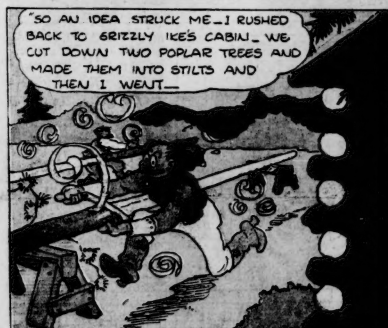




### THE NEBBS

### Daddy Long Legs

### By SOL HESS



# Ricky

THE LITTLE OLD MAN BY REDNEY

YEA BO--I MUST GOTTA GET SOME MONEY FOR A NEW NANNY GOAT BARK!

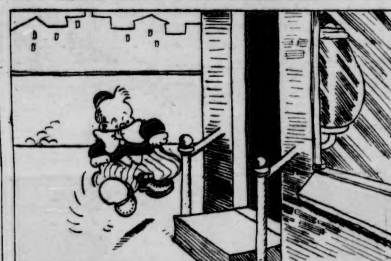
I'LL GIVE YOU ONE DOLLAR IF YOU WATCH LENA FOR ME--

WOW--ONE DOLLAR FOR WATCHING ONE DOG?-- NOTHING TO DO BUT FIDDLE THE OTHER END OF THIS STRING AND COLLECT DUGH FOR IT-- MARRA-MAYTES LENA-- GETTING SERIOUS--

HEY--DON'T DO THAT LENA-- DON'T BE NAUGHTY OR PAPA 'LL SPANK--



## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



UNCLE BIM'S ILLNESS

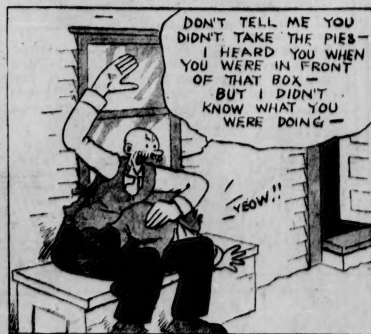
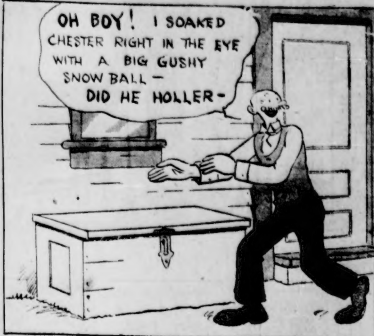
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